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CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS
 LIPOPOLYSACCHARIDE
 from *Salmonella typhimurium*
 Lot #2258A2

Contents

Each vial contains 5.0 mg of lyophilized lipopolysaccharide (LPS) isolated from *Salmonella typhimurium*.

Reconstitution/Storage

LPS is dispersible in aqueous solvents at concentrations of 1.0 mg/ml. To achieve suspension in water, heating to about 50°C with intermittent vortexing or sonication is generally recommended.¹ Allow ample time for dispersion to occur. The use of 0.5% triethylamine aids in dispersion. Triethylamine is very basic and may be neutralized with Tris HCl to avoid hydrolysis of the fatty acid chains. It is recommended that this material be stored at 2-8°C.

Analysis

2-Keto-3-deoxyoctonate (KDO) ²	3.3%
Phosphate ³	5.5%
Protein ⁴	2.0%
Nucleic acid ⁵	1.6%
Endotoxin activity by chromogenic LAL	1.8 x 10 ⁶ EU/mg

Handling

Good laboratory technique should be employed in the safe handling of any lipopolysaccharide or lipid A product. Wear appropriate laboratory attire including lab coat, gloves and safety glasses. Nitrile gloves are recommended when handling lyophilized material.

This product is pyrogenic. Avoid accidental autoinoculation by exercising extreme care when handling in conjunction with any injection device.

The product is intended for research purposes by qualified personnel. It is not intended for use in humans or as a diagnostic agent. List Biological Laboratories, Inc. is not liable for any damages resulting from the misuse or handling of this product.

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